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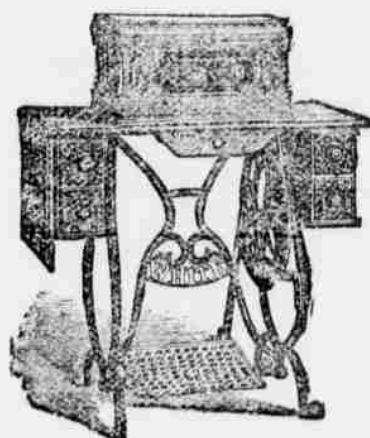
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| Depart,      | 3 p. m.     |  |
| LINCOLN.     |             |  |
| Arrive,      | 6:00 p. m.  |  |
| Depart,      | 9 a. m.     |  |
| ROSWELL.     |             |  |
| Arrive,      | 6:30 p. m.  |  |
| Depart,      | 7 a. m.     |  |

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## COUNTY NEWS.

Notice ad. of cider in another  
column.

Our citizens are making prepara-  
tions for court.

Gardner Rigles started for Red  
Cloud Tuesday.

Jack Weldon has gone to Socorro  
after his family.

Several parties in this place, have  
men out cutting hay.

Jesse D. Greenlee's little child, at  
Ruidoso, is quite sick.

Mr. E. J. McClean, a wool buyer  
of Socorro, is looking the county  
over.

The barn going up in front of the  
court house is not as handsome as it  
might be.

Only about one-eighth of the hay is  
in that the contract calls for at Ft.  
Stanton, we are told.

In a letter from Capt. Brazel, he  
says that they are having a way up  
time visiting friends in Texas.

Maj. Lewellyn, Frank Lesnet and  
Capt. Rogers are in the Guadalupe  
mountains, hunting "bar."

Sheriff Poe and Deputy Brent  
were back from the lower country  
tax collecting. They did not have  
very good success.

James Holimon, from the Seven  
Rivers country, was buying stuff to  
keep soul and body together of our  
merchants Saturday.

G. M. Danner is putting up a  
large barn on his property lately  
purchased from Mrs. Ellis, to accom-  
modate his stage stock.

Alex Carpenter was in Lincoln  
posting bills and advertising for  
Browne & Manzaneros Co. He is  
now down by Tularosa.

John J. Cockrell, son of Senator  
Cockrell, of Missouri, will settle in  
Lincoln and practice law. He is  
expected here in December.

J. F. Holder, of Eagle Creek, was  
in Lincoln Saturday with potatoes.  
He disposed of them without any  
trouble at 3 1/2 cents per pound.

A. B. Allen and J. A. Gordon, Ft.  
Sumner parties, were in Monday as  
witnesses for Mont A. Deen, who  
was making final pre-emption proof.

Whoever the road commissioner is  
for this precinct, we would like to  
call his attention to the ditch just  
on this side of the post office. It is  
a miserable mud-hole.

Mr. and Mrs. Bona Baca, Mrs.  
Capt. Baca, and Mrs. Sam Corbet  
left Saturday for Albuquerque to at-  
tend the territorial fair. Bona prom-  
ised to tell us all about it when he  
returned.

J. N. George, of Agua Azul, was  
in proving up on land Saturday. Mr.  
George subscribed for the Era to  
send to the old folks at Oak Grove,  
Mo. Back Guyse and Al Frick  
were his witnesses.

Joseph Freudenstein, representing  
Philip Prager's wholesale liquor  
house, Socorro, was visiting our mer-  
chants the last of the week. This  
makes his second or third trip into  
this county, and judging from the  
business he was working up he will  
be back again soon.

Jack Thornton started for Frank  
Lesnet's Sunday to carry a message  
that just suited him. He went  
after Miss Lehey, who comes to  
work for J. J. Dolan. Jack made  
the quickest time on record  
going, but came back exceedingly  
slow. Team played out, you know.

Proceedings of the Lincoln Coun-  
ty Stock Association on second page.  
It will be seen by them that the  
loss by Texas fever up to Septem-  
ber 22nd, was 1,100. This com-  
prises only the dead stock actually  
found. Probably 500 or more have  
died from this disease not accounted  
for in this report.

When H. K. Thurber was in this  
county, he and Lieut. Scott, went to  
the Ruidoso on a fishing trip. Scott  
caught 165 trout and Thurber 111  
in two hours and five minutes. Mr.  
Thurber has fished in all the moun-  
tain streams of the east, but says he  
never saw any stream that would  
equal the Ruidoso.

Juan de Jesus Maldonado, living  
some twenty miles below here, met  
with an accident last week that cost  
him his life. He left the house to  
go after his mules, a short distance  
away, and being gone longer than  
was usual, his son started out to hunt  
him up. He found him on the bank  
of the river dead. The prints of a  
mule's shoe was plainly visible on  
the left hand and side showing that  
the animal had kicked him twice.

Mr. Andrew Wilson was over from  
South Fork Tuesday.

Maj Duncan Vance, an executive  
officer, is at the Post.

Another wedding this morning,  
Narciso Analla to Miss Elena Bar-  
rett.

Mr. Hezekiah Biggs dropped in  
on us Wednesday from the Agua  
Chiquita.

Wm. S. Ryan, of Indianapolis,  
Ind., will locate among us and prac-  
tice law. See ad. in another column.

Wilkerson & Baringer, Upper  
Penasco, are quietly waiting the ar-  
rival of their goods from El Paso,  
which were due two weeks ago.

W. H. Weed & Co. expect to oc-  
cupy their building in Agua Chi-  
quita in a few days, when they will  
display the largest stock of goods  
ever brought to that part of Lincoln  
county. Mr. Stenquist, will prove  
the same pleasant gentleman behind  
the counter that he has always been.

John, Tom and Jack Copeland  
came in with a prisoner Friday a  
man named J. C. Caudle, who had  
been playing the wild-wooly game  
with the citizens at Dowlin's Mills,  
by shooting his six-shooter as he ran  
his horse through the streets. He  
probably took a little too much can-  
dle, hence his actions. He now  
languishes in jail for the want of  
funds to pay his fine.

Members of the Lincoln County  
Stock Association, intending to be  
present at National Cattle and  
Horse Growers Association, held  
at St. Louis, next month, are re-  
quested to inform the president so  
that preparations can be made for  
transportation. The president of  
the Lincoln County Stock Association  
has a beautiful design of a solid gold  
medal, to be worn by those taking  
part in the St. Louis convention,  
which will cost between \$10 and \$12  
each. Those wishing one of these  
beautiful souvenirs should address  
Chas. B. Eddy, Seven Rivers, N. M.

Six weeks ago or more, while  
Wildy Lea, son of Capt. J. C. Lea,  
was riding along on a fast gallop,  
the animal he was riding stepped in  
a prairie dog hole, throwing the lit-  
tle fellow forcibly to the ground.  
He received a painful bruise on the  
left side of the head, but never com-  
plained about it, and his father sup-  
posed it was nothing serious. Fully  
a month afterwards his head began  
to swell and since then it has been  
lanced two or three times. Monday  
last, the physician at Ft. Stanton be-  
gan to have grave fears of the boy's  
recovery, and informed Captain Lea  
that the injured parts would have to be  
lanced again and the skull scraped.  
The little fellow is now better, and  
we hope on his way to recovery.

A few nights ago Manuel Ortiz  
got full of bug juice and tried to  
run the saloon just on this side of  
Torres' place, and succeeded during  
one night. The next morning the  
proprietors of the house sent for  
Manuel Arteaga to see if he couldn't  
persuade the bad man from up the  
creek, who was wild, woolly and full  
of fleas, to give up his gun. The  
man with the shooter said he would  
be de-didly jumped up if he in-  
tended to hand over his pop, but  
would put a ball through the peace-  
maker, pointing it at him as he  
spoke. Arteaga jumped for the bad  
man, grabbing the gun, and as he  
did so the weapon went off, the ball  
entering the ceiling. The would-be  
shooter had a hearing before Justice  
Lujan, Tuesday, and was bound over  
to await the action of the grand jury.

"Ill health forces Judge Fleming  
to resign the judgeship," says the  
Louisville Courier-Journal, of Sep-  
tember 26th. We are sorry to give  
the judge up, as he was a prime  
favorite with everyone who came in  
contact with him, either in a profes-  
sional or personal way. The Judge  
speaks kindly of his treatment while  
in New Mexico. We, with his  
other friends, hope for his speedy re-  
covery, and also hope he will often  
think of his New Mexico friends.  
The same paper says "Judge John  
Allen Murry, of Cloverport, Ken-  
tucky, is being warmly urged  
upon the President as a suitable suc-  
cessor to Judge Fleming. From  
our personal knowledge of Judge  
Murry, he is a man of brains and an  
accomplished lawyer in its true  
sense, and would do honor to any  
place the President might appoint  
him. He is a brother of Geo. Eli H.  
Murry, of Utah, and half brother of  
Ex-Gov. Tom Crittenden, of Missouri.  
The President will appoint Judge  
Fleming's successor, it is thought,  
in time for our court.

Jack Frost is expected to make his  
appearance daily.

W. E. Anderson is about ready to  
start north with 500 four-year-olds.

J. Geo. Huber, of Bonito, is in  
Vegas, on his way home from Chi-  
cago.

Wm. Robert, of the U outfit, has  
started another herd of some 2,000  
head north, consisting of one's, two's  
and three's.

In the Penasco and Agua Chi-  
quita country, there are 800 or  
1,000 two's and three's that could  
be purchased very low. All in good  
order.

J. C. Cowles, who is painting the  
old Chisum ranch, will have the  
painting finished in about three  
weeks. He will put Pitzer Chisum's  
place on canvas.

The round-up boys were working  
the Upper Penasco last week. Their  
favorite brand is applied at night  
without iron, it is called "legging."  
Bob Buford can tell you all about it  
if you have the time to spare.

BILLY KERSAND's negro minstrel  
troupe who showed in this territory  
recently, was arrested at Abeline,  
Texas, just after the performance,  
and put in jail, on a warrant from  
Colorado City. They are charged  
with outrageously befouling their  
sleeping rooms in a Chinese board-  
ing-house at the last named place.

A great big pipe organ has been  
received by the Catholic people of  
Las Vegas, and a grand concert is  
soon to be given in that city to assist  
in paying for the same. The great  
music box is said to be as large as a  
house, and is the wonder of rural in-  
habitants. A number of tickets are  
now on sale at the music store of  
Marcelino & Nemin in this city, and  
persons who feel kindly to the Cath-  
olic church and wish to help along a  
good cause, and at the same time  
hear one of the very best concert  
ever given in this country, could do  
no better than attend the one at Las  
Vegas.—[Democrat.]

**FORT STANTON--Sept. 29.**

J. J. Dolan and family, of Lincoln,  
paid the Fort a visit last Saturday.  
They were the guests of Lieut.  
Scott.

Sergeant McConkey, of H troop, says  
the Indian summer strikes the  
east I will be back by the first of  
my year talking love into my girl's  
ears at a forty mile gait. Go it, Ser-  
geant. We bet on you.

Mrs. Miner, the wife of our com-  
missary sergeant, arrived Sunday  
afternoon from the east. He's happy.  
He has been too busy for ten days  
fixing up his house, for her to speak  
to his friends as they pass by. Oh,  
who will care for John and Fannie now?

Private Smith, H. troop, some  
time since, purchased a cub bear.  
He has employed Charley Meyer of  
H troop, to assist in its training.  
They now wager their last dollar that  
he can whip any dog in the county,  
(provided the dog can't climb a  
tree).

Jack Thornton of Lincoln passed  
through here last Sunday in a buck-  
board for Ruidoso. Jack made a  
few soundings here. Says plenty of  
water above and below and would  
take all—offered. No delay; will  
go through on time as advertised, as  
I am drawing two feet six inches  
and there is three feet fall over all  
the bars.

W. S. Ryan, of Indianapolis, Ind.,  
is here, the guest of our genial  
Tommy Eubanks, and it is reported  
he has come to stay and hang out  
his shingle as attorney at law in Lin-  
coln. We hope so. From our con-  
versation with Mr. Ryan, he is a man  
fully qualified to make his mark in  
any of his undertakings, and as  
Lincoln county is still in her infancy  
she embraces fine opportunities for  
young men of brains to make their  
mark, provided that brains are back-  
ed by energy, and as we think Mr.  
Ryan has both of these qualities em-  
braced in his composition, we ex-  
claim: hang out your shingle and  
grow up with the county and you  
will never regret the step taken, as  
Lincoln county is now on the road  
to prosperity, second to none in the  
territory.

A visiting fever struck the Post  
Traders establishment last Sunday  
why? because Mr. C. S. Thurber and  
family in a Jersey wagon, left early  
in the morning; soon after followed  
Messrs. Schenck and Mann on horse-  
back; then Tommy Eubanks and Mr.  
Ryan followed in a "gig." Clarence  
Warfield on his new pony pulled out  
for Lincoln. Now, Clarence, your  
visits to Lincoln are quite frequent.  
Who is it you go to see? Tell or

we will have to give you away.  
Christopher Columbus McDonald  
left on his celebrated pony (destina-  
tion unknown). Last but not least,  
Edgar Preer started on a mule for  
Lincoln, but his strength gave out  
and he got about half way and the  
mule turned on him and returned to  
the Fort. Edgar don't hesitate to  
say in plain English, "I'll be damned  
if I ever ride a mule again."

Your correspondent wants to thank  
the editor of the GOLDEN ERA, John  
Whelan, Jack Thornton, Bona Baca,  
Smith Lea, George Sony and others  
for the many kindnesses shown him in  
his recent visits to Lincoln. I am,  
gentlemen, truly yours,

DEERS.

**WHITE OAKS--Sept. 29th.**

J. P. C. Langston is confined to  
the house with acute rheumatism.

Chas. Dean has sold his place near  
Nogal to Capt. Roberts. Consider-  
ation \$500.

Ben Jacobs, wife and son have  
been spending a few days with  
friends here.

Mrs. McGinnis, Messrs. Watson,  
Feast Seymour and Armstrong have  
been in from Nogal during the past  
week.

Messrs. Stewart and Holton return-  
ed from Las Vegas with a fine lot of  
candles and the finest Fairbanks scales  
we have ever seen in the country.

One W. W. Taggart had James  
Colp arrested for inciting a riot.  
The jury failed to find any case.  
The trial was a very laughable affair.

Mr. and Mrs. Chase, of Dry Gulch  
and Mrs. Capt. Roberts came into  
town to call on friends, and while  
here attended the dance given by  
Mr. Brothers.

A most enjoyable dance was given  
by Jno. A. Brothers during the past  
week. Almost everyone in town  
was there and it was admitted to  
have been the most pleasant dance  
of the season.

A jury the past week failed to find  
any verdict for the court and can-  
sured the judge for not putting the  
case (as they thought) proper before  
them. The judge promptly had  
them brought before him next morn-  
ing and after they humbly apolo-  
gized he let them off by them paying  
the cost.

One Hanna, a stage driver, was ar-  
rested for misusing a batchelor, one  
Frenchy, who keeps the stage  
station at Mal Pais. He was fined  
on two charges \$75 and costs. On  
Saturday afternoon, in the stage of-  
fice, a fire was discovered and by  
some it was supposed Hanna had set  
it afire. He took French leave later  
in the day.

**BONITO--Sept. 29.**

As I have not seen any thing in  
the columns of the Era from this  
part of the country for sometime,  
will write to let you know that we  
have not all left the country.

Prosperity still reigns among us  
and the pleasant smile of yore is seen  
on every face.

J. H. Skinner has made consider-  
able improvements on his ranch, in  
the way of houses and barns.

R. C. Schultz and H. Combroch  
supply the country at present. The  
former with wet goods, and the  
latter with dry goods.

L. W. Bourne and S. C. Berry are  
said to be the boss potato growers  
of the valley, as each of them have  
about 25,000 pounds for sale.

The farmers are reaping their re-  
ward for their year's toil. Very few  
potatoes have been dug at the pre-  
sent writing, but enough to insure  
an average crop.

The trustees of school district No.  
16 have purchased the old post office  
building at Bonito for school pur-  
poses. The school is conducted by  
Mrs. Marshal Parker, who has given  
general satisfaction.

A cotillion party was given at the  
residence of J. H. Skinner, on the  
evening of the 29th inst., which was  
one of the most enjoyable affairs of  
the season. Among the young ladies  
present were the Misses Lula Healy,  
Bettie Bourne, Dink Saunders, Alice  
Skinner, Laura Rainbolt, Rebecca  
Lalene and others. Among the  
married couples we noticed Mr. and  
Mrs. Charles Littlefield, Mr. and Mrs.  
Bill Healy, Dr. and Mrs. Coggin,  
Mr. and Mrs. Bingham and Mr. and  
Mrs. Marshal Parker. At ten o'clock  
the party was invited to the dining  
room, where an elegant supper was  
spread, after which dancing was kept  
up until a late hour.

A Subscriber.